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INDIANAPOLIS, MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1873.

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Dressmaking.

The success of our Dress-making Department has been such thus far that we feel fully warranted in saying to our patrons that with unusual facilities and the determination to excel in this branch of our business, that we are prepared to execute all orders promptly in the most stylish and workman-like manner and at very moderate prices. All work warranted strictly first-class.

ADAMS & HATCH,
66 East Washington st.

CARPETS!

Wall Paper,
Window Shades,
Oil Cloths, etc.
AWNINGS for Stores and Dwellings.
The Largest Stock of Brussels and Ingrains in the City.
ALBERT GALL,
101 East Washington street.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—FRONT ROOMS UNFURNISHED, 131 North Alabama street.
FOR RENT—A FIRST CLASS DWELLING, A-F-PLY at 15 East Washington street.
FOR RENT—TO ONE OR TWO GENTLEMEN with or without board; furnished room. References required. 58 Green street.
FOR RENT—HOUSE NO. 270 NORTH NOBLE street. Inquire of REQUIRE SCHMITZ, at 153 Winston street, or 95 East Washington street.
FOR RENT—EIGHT SPLENDID ROOMS in Circle Hall, recently occupied as Senate Office building. W. H. BROWN.
FOR RENT—FOUR ROOMS ON SOUTHWEST corner of Montgomery and Union streets. Apply at the above named place. MILTON DAVIS.
FOR RENT—TWO FRONT ROOMS WITH board. Locality good and convenient to business. References exchanged. For particulars inquire at 34 North Mississippi street.
FOR RENT—WITH A PRIVATE FAMILY without children, a furnished front room, first floor, with closet to gentleman without board; reference required. 133 East Washington street.
FOR RENT—TWO VERY DESIRABLE SUITS of rooms, unfurnished, to two couples, with or without board, with no children; parties residing to board elsewhere; references required and furnished. Call at 24 S. New York street, northwest corner Alabama and New York st.

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL—THOSE WISHING TO TAKE stock in the Capital City Flaming Mill Company, please call at 37 Massachusetts street.
PERSONAL—PARTIES HAVING FURNITURE and household goods to dispose of can always get prompt return by sending their goods to DAWSON & PAYNE, 57 and 59 East Market street.
PERSONAL—I AM AGENT FOR TUCKER'S Alarm Bell, which is a sure preventive against any person robbing the money drawer without being detected. T. J. GANTER, 130 East Washington street.
PERSONAL—BUSINESS AT NO. 100 EAST Washington street, corner room up stairs. Call and we will do you good. We have some bargains to let somebody have. The money you owe the better you will be off. A lot in Spain's addition for \$25 and other bargains in proportion in all parts of the city. FRANK & SHAW, Real Estate Brokers.
TO LOAN.
TO LOAN—MONEY ON JEWELRY, CLOTHING, furniture, etc., at City Loan Office, at 60 North Illinois st.
FOR SALE OR TRADE FOR CITY PROPERTY.
A house and lot in a flourishing country seat in this State. Address or inquire of T. W. HARRIS, No. 19 North Meridian street.

Letters addressed simply to the number of a box, and without the name of the party for whom intended, are sent to the Dead Letter Office, in accordance with section 60, Regulation of 1866, U. S. Laws, which letters in answer to advertisements must be left at The News office to insure delivery.

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FOR SALE—ONE NEW FIVE FOOT STANDING desk, at No. 6 Bates House Block.
FOR SALE—TWO CARRIAGE, FOUR SEATS, nearly new at 94 West Market street.
FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, CORNER MARKET and Walnut street. Inquire in trunk under Bee Hive.
FOR SALE—CHEAP—A GOOD HEAVY DRAFT horse. Can be seen at 54 S. Meridian street.
FOR SALE—A SPRING WAGON and TOP buggy, nearly new; also a good family horse, in the trunk store under the Bee Hive.
FOR SALE—THE LARGEST LIST OF GOOD property in the city at D. S. McKENNA'S new office, 36 West Washington street, Griffith's Block.
FOR SALE—CIGAR STORE DOING A GOOD business; everything new; will be sold cheap. Good reasons for selling. Address L. C. this office.
FOR SALE—CHEAP—TEN ACRES OF GOOD clay land, frame house, 6 rooms, good barn, or chard, brick yard etc. Located one mile east of city. Call at 73 East Washington street. H. F. C.
FOR SALE—A SMALL STOCK OF DRUGS, well located in the city, dwelling rooms, colored, low rent, good location for a physician. Call at Johnson, 90 1/2 E. Washington st.
FOR SALE—TO PHOTOGRAPHERS—A COM-plete outfit for gallery, cameras, chemicals, etc., at 73 East Washington street. Address at once, Julius Ludlow, Smithland, Shelby county, Indiana. H. F. C.
FOR SALE—ONLY \$250 FOR HOUSE AND corner lot, within ten minutes' walk of the House, house well finished, in good neighborhood and possession can be had soon. An unusual bargain on reasonable terms. Call at once on C. G. WARD & CO., 85 1/2 East Market street.
FOR SALE—BY CULLEDEN & VINNADORE, Real Estate Brokers, 12 East Washington street, ten beautiful lots on Mississippi street, between Second and Third, being part of the Lilly property. The above are decidedly the most beautiful lots on the street. We also have about 35 lots fronting on Tennessee street. This is really a splendid property and well worth the attention of those who are first class investors. Price only \$100 per foot. CULLEDEN & VINNADORE, Only Agents. H. F. C.

Shirt Depot.

Emb White Shirts.
Dress and Business Shirts.
22 Open Back Shirts.
Genuine Cheviot Shirts.
Crested Cloth Shirts.
French Frock Shirts.
Buffed Night Shirts.
Undershirts in Great Variety.
SPRING STYLES IN MEN'S FURNISHINGS.
32 E. Washington street.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Great Rise in Gold and Excep-tion in Wall Street.

Suicide of a Well Known Actor and Author.

Three Men Fall Through a Sky-light in Chicago.

Terrible Accident at a Funeral in New Jersey.

Illinois Farmers Resisting Rail-road Extortion.

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Grand Army Meeting—Resisting Rail-road Extortion.
CHICAGO, March 31.—A meeting of representatives from the various parts of the Grand Army of the Republic in Chicago was held yesterday afternoon in the Common Council chamber for the purpose of making the preliminary arrangements for decorating the soldiers' graves according to annual custom. Committees of ladies and gentlemen were appointed.
The excitement among farmers throughout Illinois over the alleged railway extortions continues to increase. Meetings are being held everywhere and resolutions passed declaring their determination to resist the oppression peacefully if they can but forcibly if they must. It is believed that there are nearly one thousand societies already organized containing about 70,000 members. A large meeting was held here Saturday afternoon at which a long string of resolutions were passed.
A sufficient amount of stock has been subscribed for the erection of a large building for the proposed Inter-State Exposition in this city next fall, and the enterprise will be pushed forward vigorously. It is proposed to erect a fine iron and glass building on the lake front and it will probably be kept up for annual exhibitions.
At noon to-day a heavy iron and glass sky light, being placed in the roof of the new building of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, corner of State and Washington streets, fell to the first floor, a hundred feet, carrying three men, two of whom were fatally injured, and the recovery of the other is doubtful.

INDIANA.

Mysterious Body Found—Death of Dr. PLYMOUTH, March 31.—Yesterday morning the body of a man was found in a box which had been washed ashore near the Indiana, Peru and Chicago Railroad bridge. The body being in an advanced state of decomposition could not be identified. All inquiries will be held to-day, and until then nothing definite can be learned.
NEW ALBANY, March 31.—Colonel Wm. A. Bowles, one of the noted Indiana treason conspirators with Milligan and Horsey, died at his residence at French Lick Springs, on Friday night.

NEW JERSEY.

Fall of a Gallery.
TRENTON, March 31.—During the obsequies of Father Maken, at St. John's Church to-day, the gallery fell, burying a number of persons in the ruins. Three are reported killed and several wounded.

NEW YORK CITY.

Decision Against Stokes—Excitement in Wall Street.
New York, March 31.—Judge Bradley to-day denied the motion to amend the record in Stokes's case.
Great excitement exists in Wall street. Gold, 118 1/2.

CONNECTICUT.

Suicide of Charles M. Barris.
HARTFORD, March 31.—Charles M. Barris, author of the Black Crook, jumped from an express train last night, and was frightfully injured. He died early this morning.

ADDITIONAL CITY NEWS.

There were two full congregations present at the Fifth Presbyterian services yesterday, and twenty additions were made to the church.

A family feud between the Green and Coleman families, of South Illinois street, was settled to-day by committing the first for disturbing the peace.

The Bloomington express had trouble Saturday night, near Crawfordville, by a big land slide, and the engine and cars were thrown from the track. No one particularly hurt.

A large number of the shade trees set out last spring have since died, and the public generally would like to know whether the contractor is not obliged to replace the same.

The quarterly anniversary of Trinity Church Sunday School was held last night, at which the pastor, Rev. Dr. Snyder, Col. Ray and Dr. Munhall made short and effective addresses.

DANIEL KAHOR, John McGuire, John Jones, William Bense, John Ramsey, Charles Snyder, George W. Green, Grand Dale and Andrew Golding were the drunks treated to-day by the Mayor.

The Republican candidate for Mayor is credited with being in non-sympathy with workmen and opposed to "strikes," and for this reason a decided stand will be taken against him by trades unions.

"EVERYBODY TO HIS OWN BUSINESS" was illustrated by Governor Hendricks at the Meridian street Church last night, when he announced that Elder Black would now "proclaim the doctrine." The Governor meant "benediction."

MAJOR PALMER, with a large force of men, began on the Delaware street pavement at St. Clair street this morning. He designs working about thirty teams and seventy-five men, and completing the work to Tinker street by the first of July.

THERE is an antipodean wonder at the Metropolitan, M'lie Emma, who walks the ceiling like a fly, but unlike a fly occasionally gets rough falls. Saturday night she would have broken her precious neck, hadn't it been for a fly net spread some ten feet beneath.

Result of Post Mortem.
The physicians who held a post mortem examination on the body of Myers, state that his death was caused by the rupture of a blood vessel, a large quantity of blood having been found in his brain. What caused the rupture they of course do not pretend to say.

Dangerous Fix.

LAST evening Elijah Hedges and two friends found a well-dressed gentleman lying in the water underneath the Maryland street bridge over the canal, who, from his position, would have drowned in a short time. He was fished out and taken to the Capital House.

Complex Business.
Messrs. Lippincott & Shoemaker have purchased of Calvin Fletcher through Mick Bro's agency, fourteen acres in Brookside addition east of Woodruff Place for \$25,500. They have subdivided it into small lots and to complete the record of the title it was necessary to make about four hundred and seventy-five different instruments.

A Big Jump.

Saturday night George W. Green attacked Harvey Coleman in his room on the third floor of the block adjoining the Surgical Institute, and so frightened him that he jumped out of the rear window to the roof of a low building twenty feet beneath, from which he rolled to the ground. Strange to say, he was not seriously hurt.

A Sunday School Farewell.

Last evening the children of Plymouth Church Sunday School met their pastor, Rev. J. L. Bennett, in a farewell meeting. Songs were sung and pertinent addresses made by Mr. Morgan and others, and near the close, Mr. Bennett was called forward to speak, but was confronted by Superintendent Souter, who on behalf of the congregation and school presented him with a costly silver service. It was an elegant gift and the presentation a gratifying success.

Recruits for the Signal Service.

Orders have been issued by the War Department directing the Observer Sergeants in this city and other points named to endeavor to enlist competent recruits for the Signal Service, and care is ordered to be taken to only recruit men of good character, who can read and write in English, have some arithmetical knowledge, and have sufficient intelligence to be capable in time of performing the duties required in this service. All recruits will be sent to Fort Whipple, Virginia, for instruction.

A Young Blood Lazzard.

The Sunday Herald weaves a piteous tale of a young blood that tarried long at the wine and who was sent home to the aged but able-bodied parental in a high state of intoxication. The neighbors gathered in sympathy to assist the "aged but able-bodied," and were gratified in seeing him produce a cowhide and "lazzard" young blood into a condition of whimpering sobriety. Afterwards y. b. was taken to his room and done up in oil and arnica, and next day proved so far converted as to swear off from stimulations of a serious nature.

A Larceny Case.

A few days since Mr. George E. Wallace had a valuable gold watch stolen from him which was afterwards found in the possession of Benjamin Hoff, saloon keeper on East Washington street. On the watch was inscribed, "George E. Wallace to his wife," and Mr. Hoff states that a stranger came into his saloon and sold him the watch for \$15, representing himself as Wallace, and that his wife had died three years since. Mr. H. this morning returned the watch but is \$15 out of pocket.

Amusement Matters.

One week from to-night the popular English Opera, "Enchantress" will be presented by Messrs. Leake & Dickson, in which will appear Caroline Richings-Bernard, Pierre Bernard and a sterling corps of assistants. Home talent will also be used, for the Cecilia Glee Club have been induced to take part in the choruses.

To-night, at the Academy, "Sam" is the attraction, in the presentation of which Mr. Chanfrau has won high favor. Extended notice therefore is not necessary.

Elopement.

On Saturday evening Miss Kate Kelly, a California street belle, and the daughter of Mr. Kelly, the well known contractor, eloped with a North Illinois street clerk named Earle, and the two have united in matrimony, much to the chagrin of a young gentleman of the West End, who regarded her as his heart's idol and has already looked forward to the day when he, and not Earle, would be the coming man. The flimsy girl left a note for her parents, stating their honeymoon trip would last two weeks, and then came the cruel postscript for forgiveness, etc. Not many elopements result in prosperous unions, perhaps this will average better than most.

Eagle Machine Works.

Judge Martindale, who holds \$80,000 stock in the Eagle Machine Works, has petitioned for the appointment of a receiver, claiming that in the management President Hassel-man is not running altogether on the correct method; for instance, making officers out of his sons and relatives, with disproportionate salaries considering their influence and business qualifications. Another bone of trouble seems to be that, at the annual election of Directors the Judge was overlooked, and men representing much less stock were placed in position. When it comes down to business the Judge and L. W. are pretty evenly matched, and it may be that both will get skinned before this receivership is settled.

That Dead Man.

Yesterday the dead man at Hedges was identified as George Henry Meyers, recently of Richmond, and for some time past employed at Kingan's. Concerning the cause of his death, the Coroner's jury know as little now as they did before the investigation commenced, and they are holding adjourned sessions until something turns up. New-comer, the saloon keeper, denies that Meyers was in his place, notwithstanding he had lounged about every saloon in the neighborhood, and was picked up directly in front of his den. The post mortem examination resulted in nothing but mangle up the remains with dull tools, as nothing suspicious was found except a bruise upon the face. The general impression is that he died from congestion, superinduced by exposure.

Kingan's Island Under Water.

For a long time the effal from Kingan's pork house was slammed into the river, and then left to float away or lodge against the river bank and stink, at the last of which the offal was a success. Later, however, the pork men took to polling the stuff, but still continued to throw the now cooked material into the same locality, where it sank to the bottom, where it accumulated until and island was formed that overtopped the water and spread a surface alive with vermin, nasty with stunk and unutterably filthy. Yesterday the river rose to the relief of West End olfactories and spread a muddy sheet over the top that conceals it from view and from smell. If the river curtain continues, "tis well; but if the water goes down the "vernal sun" will soon breed pestilence at the rate of several pounds to the square inch.

Land Speculation in St. Louis.

Indianapolis capital is going to St. Louis, and Indianapolis blood is attempting to infuse a little vitality into that sleepy town just waking from its prolonged nap. On Saturday Messrs. Carlin Hamlin, J. H. Woodward, W. H. Wilcox and T. D. Fitch bought part of an old French farm lying between the city and the large park, and immediately fronting the latter. This contains about 105 acres, is over 600 feet wide, and nearly 8,000 feet long. A street will be run through the middle, and lots sold on each side. The price paid was \$2,000 per acre, on very easy terms, covering ten years. As this land is no further from the Court House than the Car Works addition here is from the State House, and as that city is growing mainly in that direction the price is low, and the purchasers think they will realize about a million out of it. Property of nearly all kinds is lower in St. Louis than it is here.

An Honest Man.

An ex State Treasurer yesterday paid over \$80 conscience money which he had owed for twenty years.

This item published on Saturday does great injustice to a very honorable gentleman, and the act chronicled is one that stamps him as a man among men. Many years ago he was employed as a clerk in a large establishment and in looking over his old accounts some months since he found one amounting to \$80 which was not marked "paid." All the other items being marked he concluded that he had never paid the sum and asked one of the surviving partners to look over the books, now in another city, and find out. This old employer did and finding no trace of the money, the gentleman paid it, half going to the heirs of the deceased partner. Few men would have done such a thing and we regret that such a repayment should have been characterized by the dubious appellation of "conscience money."

ENFORCEMENT OF THE LAW.

A Remarkably Quiet Sabbath.
The police force received special instructions Saturday to strictly enforce the observance of the Sunday law requiring saloons and other establishments to be kept closed, and as the result of their vigilance eight arrests were made yesterday for the violation of this law.

At an early hour yesterday morning a large number of saloons were open in different parts of the city, and the proprietors were promptly notified that unless they closed their establishments they would be arrested. This had the effect of closing up most of the saloons, but a few however were kept open in defiance of all opposition, among which number were Reimann, Seldensicker's, Fitzgerald and Bob Smith's.

In each instance, either the bar tender or proprietor were promptly arrested on a charge of desecrating the Sabbath, and marched off to the Station House, where they gave bail for their appearance.

Three of the Mason House chin scrappers were also arrested on the same charge, but were dismissed this morning by the Mayor, after being cautioned not to repeat the offense.

The following named persons were arraigned in the City Court this morning for desecrating the Sabbath and were fined \$15 each: George Henry, bartender at Seldensicker's; Albert Barkis, bartender at Reimann's; Joseph Fitzgerald, Chris. Nape, Robert Smith and Matthew Fox. The Mayor is determined to strictly enforce the Sunday law, and as a result only two arrests were made yesterday for drunk and disorderly conduct.

Sunday School Celebration.

In the dilapidated, barnack-looking structure on Washington street, near California, last evening the West End Mission Sunday School held very pleasant and entertaining exercises, consisting of short and pertinent addresses by Drs. Munhall and Parvin, and Edgar L. Williams, recitations by Lillie and Carrie Hunt, Jennie Kildeberger, Katie Newman, Katie McCall, Tammie Skene and the class of which Miss Skillen is teacher; a duo charmingly sung by Miss Ella Barnes and Ella Dawson, singing by the school, and a concluding talk from the Superintendent, John G. Blake. The remarks by young Williams were especially entertaining to the little ones, and yet of absorbing interest to adults, for he possesses in a remarkable degree the faculty of putting his audience, old and young alike, in rapport with the subject under consideration. The room was crowded to excess, and there were noticeable very many not often seen inside the church. The utmost good order prevailed, and the well studied efforts of the little ones, as well as the thoughts put forward by the adult speakers, were listened to with evident satisfaction. This little mission, organized in 1869, on South West street as a venture, has grown to a certainty, and is rapidly filling up and growing vigorously. The officers consist of Mr. Blake, Superintendent; Dr. Williams, Assistant; Will. Elvin, Secretary and Treasurer; Willis Stone, Organist; Miss Jennie Skillen, Miss Nellie Skillen, Miss Sallie Greenfield, Lee Braden, P. L. Mayhew, Thos. McElchison, A. C. Osburn and Henry Hunt, Teachers.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

The bill extending the Bonaparte family was passed the French Chamber of Deputies.

Stephen Groves, an old and prominent citizen of Albany, New York, died in that city yesterday.

The court martial sitting at Versailles, yesterday sentenced Mr. Felix Fyfe, the ex-Communist, to death.

It is reported from Albany, that it is now probable that no charter will be passed for New York this session.

The levy of troops en masse in Catalonia and adjoining provinces, to fight the Carlists, has so far proved a failure.

George W. Abbott, proprietor of the Randolph Express, was accidentally thrown from a train at Baitimore, near Boston, Saturday afternoon, and killed.

In excavating at Little Rock, Arkansas, for the track of the Cairo and Fulton Railroad, a rich vein of lead and silver, mingled with gold dust, was discovered.

A boy named Daniel Spillman was crushed to death on Saturday, on Fifth street in Cincinnati, by the falling of the walls of a building which workmen were taking down.

A man named Thomas Wilson, residing at Milwaukee, while eating dinner yesterday, swallowed a piece of meat which lodged in his throat, choking him to death in five minutes.

A collision on the Northern Central Railroad, Saturday night, at Liverpool, twenty-eight miles from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, destroyed two freight trains and killed two men.

The Ontario Legislature was prorogued on Saturday, at Toronto, by Lieutenant Governor Howland, who delivered the customary speech and gave the royal assent to bills passed during the session.

An accident near Rutland, Vermont, yesterday morning, dethroned an entire train, killed the conductor and fireman and injured a number of passengers. The baggage car was burned, with a part of the through mail.

The mystery of the murder of Goodrich, in Brooklyn, has been cleared up. The murder was committed by a jealous lover of Mrs. Myers, a Spanish named Rowce, who, after committing the crime, fled to Baltimore.

Charles J. Clark, charged with the murder of his wife, was before the court in Philadelphia on Saturday with a habeas corpus, on the plea of insanity, but the court declined to listen to the evidence and remanded the prisoner for trial without bail.

Advices received from Albany, New York, report the giving way of a pond near Coxsackie, and the flooding of a village, and of a flood on the Mohawk River at Schoharie, and of threatened floods along the Central railroad in that vicinity.

Anton Holmes, who was to be hanged on next Friday at St. Louis, for the murder of his wife, has had his execution postponed, by Judge Pendergast, of the Criminal Court, until Monday, November 13, the case may have a hearing before the Supreme Court.

A severe storm prevailed throughout the South on Saturday and yesterday. At Canton, Miss., in the track of a hurricane about one hundred yards wide, fifty houses were destroyed. Loss about \$50,000. Only one life was lost, a negro woman. About fifteen persons were injured, none seriously.

The Assistant Treasurer at New York has been directed to purchase \$500,000 worth of bonds Wednesday, April 7, and Wednesday, April 23, each, and to sell \$1,500,000 in said bonds Thursday during the month of April, thus purchasing in all one million in bonds and selling six millions in gold.

William Newman, a man of property residing for several years past in Denver, Colorado, engaged in the cattle business, died a few days since under suspicious circumstances. His wife and a half brother were arrested Saturday, charged with murder by administering arsenic. The evidence is very strong against them.

With the ethereal mildness of spring the Isothermal Line will blossom like the rose.

Some of our country exchanges are anxious to know if General Coburn and Senator Morton took that money.

If the Sunday law is to be enforced let it be enforced in all quarters. Don't make fish of one business and fowl of another.

The Terre Haute Express pays the News a compliment of so flattering a character that our modesty will not permit its republication.

The United States will make a very fair showing at the Vienna Exposition. About twenty-five thousand packages have already been sent over.

You may set it down as a pretty safe rule that when a man is incapable of managing his own business, he ought not to be entrusted with that of others.

The great and glorious privilege every freeman has of scratching his ticket as he pleases, will be exercised to an unexampled extent at the coming election.

The contribution of the printers of this city to the Greeley monument consists of fifty dollars and one hundred pounds of type metal. Do none of our citizens wish to contribute? Governor Hendricks will receive and take care of any sums entrusted to him.

Some friends are quite anxious to know what The News will do about the city election. Well, it don't propose to do much of anything, for reasons which it will explain at length when the proper time comes. It fails, after diligent contemplation, to see anything of importance or hope or promise in the contest, and the more prolonged the examination the

greater the disgust and indifference. Its advice can be comprehended in one word, SCRATCH. Make up your tickets to suit yourselves, taking the best that affords out of either.

One of the stiffest municipal contests ever known is now going on in St. Louis. That city is stirred to its utmost depths and the chief issue seems to be the question of street cleaning. That is a tendency in the direction of the correct municipal idea. When street cleaning or sewer building or the numerous public improvements of any kind become the interesting questions when city elections are to be held, the people are getting down to what immediately concerns them. What shall I profit a man if his candidate has the tariff he sighs for, but compels him to wade knee deep in mud.

MR. POSTMASTER GENERAL CRESSWELL must be an individual with an alarming sense of his own importance. He has heretofore advocated all sorts of schemes calculated to add to the expense of the Department with a very doubtful probability of any additional advantage. Postal telegraphy, postal cards, letter carriers everywhere, reduction of postage, etc. Like his accomplished Cabinet associate, Mr. Boutwell, he is a law unto himself. One would imagine, to read an interview with him by a Herald correspondent, published in the Sentinel to-day, that he had autocratic powers, that instead of being a secondary officer he was the high grand cooalorum, the despotic ruler of an enslaved and ignorant rabble. The interview was about the action of certain railroads in refusing to carry the mails any longer at the prices allowed by Congress. It is a notorious fact that these are lower than on almost any species of freight, and the leading companies have united in demanding greater pay or refusing to do the work. "It is an unpleasant business and may cause a great deal of trouble before it is settled. We do not know what the legal rights of the companies or of the government may be in the case, but it will strike every one that the granting or doing of such extraordinary powers as Mr. Cresswell indicates in the following extract are not in accordance with the spirit of free institutions. It is no special credit to America to have one of its chief officers talk in such a strain as this, which shows a weakness of intellect and a tendency to extremism that would sound well in a Communist."

"The extent of the powers of the government over railroads has not yet been clearly defined, but if the roads bring it to an issue they will find what the power of the government is. If it comes to that, congress will probably decide that railroads being post routes, are under the control of the government and may be compelled to afford proper facilities at reasonable rates as are determined by congress, and if the railroads refuse, congress will declare that the postmaster general shall have power to forward the mails in his own post-cars and locomotives as often and as rapidly as the public interest may require, and then the roads will be admonished to clear the track, or not clearing it the army will see to it that it is cleared. I hope there will be no occasion to use or even to ask for such extraordinary powers. But these corporations who have received their franchises from the people certainly owe in return certain duties to the people. They not only owe the duty of transporting passengers and freight, but the still greater duty of transporting the mails with facility and dispatch, and the people will see to it that their rights are enjoyed."

The Carlist Disturbance.

Spain is weak enough, one would think, without intestinal derangement. Yet no other country has been so constantly the victim of domestic conflicts. Religious bigotry and ignorance reduced it from a first rate to a third rate power, before the bones of Charles V had rotted, and for three-fourths of a century faction has reigned in perpetuating its feebleness. It is nearly seventy years since a father and son in their anxiety to circumvent each other, gave up the kingdom to Napoleon, and it is but eight days since a Carlist victory at Vich has suggested the possibility of a reactionary revolution as complete as the one that dethroned Isabella. The Spanish, like the Irish, seem incapable of forgetting their individual or faction enmities in their devotion to their country. Patriotic they both are, enthusiastically proud of their lands and of their histories and of themselves, but their patriotism is not half as energetic an influence as their family hatreds. Of course neither has nor ever can hope to have a free and self-sustaining government without a radical change of popular feeling and temper. If Ireland had a republic as perfect as ours, it would be jolted to pieces in ten years by faction conflicts. Spain has a republic but he must be sanguine to silliness who believes it can be maintained for half a generation. The religion of the people is adverse to it, their condition unsuited to it, their traditions and associations alien to it. But a few comparatively want a republic, though a great many have agreed to try it, rather through inability to get a good monarchy than from any preference for it. The republic is a matter of suzerainty, not choice, and the moment a way appears open to the accession of the old government, restrained from the cruelties of Ferdinand and the corruption of Isabella, popular feeling will rush into it. It is the consciousness of this disposition that makes the Carlist movement so formidable, and the government so easily embarrassed. If the heir of Don Carlos, exiled by the law of 1830 from the throne, shall succeed in establishing himself strongly in Catalonia, where the late great victory was gained, or anywhere else indeed, he will have taken a long step toward the restoration of the old order of things.

He has three strong influences in his favor. 1st, He represents the old hereditary idea of the country. His grandfather was heir of the throne, by the Salic law, on the death of Ferdinand VII, and was shut out by the King's repeal of this

law, instigated by his wife—a debauched creature who wanted to put her daughter, but not her husband's daughter, Isabella, on the throne. The Salic law still prevailing over most of the continent of Europe, allowed no female successor to a crown or any feudal title or power. It was not the original law of Spain, as the reign of Columbus's patron, Isabella, shows, but it became so with the accession of the Bourbons, and its repeal in favor of the illegitimate child of a foreign woman and a notorious prostitute, was anything but a popular act. The death of Ferdinand, in 1833, brought on the long Carlist war that was ended by Espartero in 1839. The present is merely its continuation against a substitute for the old enemy, and it has many and devoted adherents. 2d, The clergy are ardently and almost unanimously for the Carlists. No more bigoted a race ever lived than the descendants of Don Carlos. They are tools of the priests and the Papacy, and of course get all the help that years of popular veneration for an unscrupulous, selfish and corrupt order can give. This is not universal by any means, but it is wide spread still, and strong enough to be no despicable ally. 3d, The republic is a mere make shift. It may resist open assault, and will probably put down the Carlists now, as has been constantly done for forty years, yet it is weak in popular regard, and there is unhappily no diffusion of education there to counteract the inculcations of the priests, or to give individual self-reliance. In such a state of things it would not be surprising to see a counter revolution occur, and even succeed, but no success of any cause can assure Spain a safe and permanent government, whether Republican or monarchical, till popular education has done more than can be hoped for in this generation.

Song of the Seasons.

Giant winter flinging flakes of snow,
Down burning field and wood and hill;
Dark back to the low trailing fog,
And bleaker air severe and chill.
And swift the seasons circling run—
And so they change till all is done.

Young spring with promise in her eyes,
And fragrant breath from dewy morn,
And magic tangles of the low trailing fog,
Of budding flowers when wind is south.
And swift the seasons circling run—
And so they change till all is done.

Then summer stands erect and tall,
With early sunrise for the lawn,
Thick foliage woods and glittering seas,
And loud bird chirpings to the dawn.
And swift the seasons circling run—
And so they change till all is done.

Brown autumn, quiet with ripe fruits,
And daisy flushes for the leaves,
And silent cloud skies soft and cool,
And meadow come the halm or blight.
And swift the seasons circling run—
And so they change till all is done.

Swift speeds our life from less to more,
The child, the man, the work, the rest,
The sobering mind, the ripening soul,
Till yonder all is bright and best.
And swift the seasons circling run—
And so they change till all is done.

Yes, yonder—! Indeed the orb
Of life revolves 'round central light,
For ever true to central force,
And meadow come the halm or blight.
And so indeed the seasons run—
And last is best when all is done.
—Chambers's Journal.

"SOBAPS."

Caldwell is waiting for something to turn up besides noses.—(Boston Post.)

When are tailors and house agents in the same locality? When they gather the rents. L. E. Train, said to be a nephew of George Francis, is a professional three-card monte dealer of Council Bluffs.

Two car-loads of California butter have passed through Sacramento for New York within the past ten days.

A cottage is being built at Long Branch which will cost nearly \$93,000, by him who is known to fame as Secor Robeson.

The Ventura, California, Signal says: Our town is crimson, pink and white with peach, almond and the blossoms of other fruit trees.

Kentucky Blue Lick water with a little salt in it is preferred by some of the natives to old Bourbon whisky as a cure for a bad cold.

A Mr. Lucia has brought suit for \$20,000 against Dubuque for damage done to his wife by falling on a defective sidewalk while in Dubuque.

The "robins are chirping," "the geese have commenced their northern gyrations," and "lovers are beginning to swing on the gates."—(Gainesville (Fla.) Era.)

A lemon has been grown in Tampa, Florida, which weighs twenty and one half ounces, is fourteen and one half inches in circumference, and four inches in diameter.

Bowdoin, Maine, has so much confidence in one of its citizens, that it annually elects him to the office of Selectman, Assessor, Overseer of the Poor, Treasurer, Collector, and Constable.

Dallas, Texas, has a Hayden Society, a Theatrical Society, a Commercial Club, a Nameless Club and a Fair Association, but grieves because it has no woolen, furniture, boot and shoe factories, grain elevators or flouring mills.

"The first fruits of the past three months' legislation dropped into the public basket yesterday. It was the scalp of a fox, which, becoming too old to breed, its unfeeling owner had slain and brought in to get his reward."—(Shelby (Ky.) Courier.)

The post office at Bangor, Maine, received nearly 600,000 letters, sold about \$24,500 worth of stamps, and cancelled nearly \$22,000 worth of the same, money orders to the amount of \$90,000 were cashed, and \$85,000 worth were sold. All this was done in 1872.

It is said that fourteen hundred dollars per week, or \$72,800 per year, are expended in our town for whisky, and even these are thought to be low figures. Our population is about twenty-five hundred. Can any town in the State of our size beat this?—(Elizabeth (Ky.) News.)

S. W. Hale, of Keene, New Hampshire, recently got out his private train, after midnight, and carried home over the drifted roads all the lady passengers who came on a belated train, in return for which favor they intend he shall be the next Republican nominee for Governor of the State.

At a court held in Marlboro, Vermont, Monday of last week, the officer was obliged

to go on snow shoes to subpoena witnesses, on account of the depth of snow, and the jury came by the same conveyance. The oldest inhabitants don't remember so much snow at this season of the year.

As an illustration of the comparative inefficiency of irregular troops when pitted against regulars, it is officially shown that in the second siege of Paris in 1870, the besiegers lost but 794 men killed, all told, while the loss of the Communists is estimated at not less than 10,000 killed and 25,000 prisoners.

A Boston gentleman writes to the papers regretfully: "Thirty years ago a breakfast, oyster and chicken supper, with cream toast and coffee, and 'fixin's' generally, cost but twenty-five cents a head, and 'dark seal' brandy, or any other brand, was only six cents a glass—and large bottomed, cut glass tumblers at that."

Some of the members of the Tennessee Legislature have differences of opinion in regard to the distance between Nashville and Memphis, especially when the time comes for drawing mileage. One legislator drew mileage for six hundred miles, another for five hundred, and still one more wanted pay for only four hundred and sixty-four miles.

Amadeus's wife is very ambitious, and so he did not inform her of his intention to abdicate for fear of her opposition. When a little girl, studying in Paris, she dedicated herself to Notre Dame des Victories, after being told that the Empress Eugenie had been from childhood a devout votary of the Virgin, and had been rewarded with a crown for her piety.

The following is the style in which a Georgian man died according to a local paper. First he was attacked with toothache. After the tooth ceased to ache his tongue swelled up and filled his mouth. The tongue assailed the throat began to swell and projected as far out as his chin, thus producing death. Three physicians were in attendance and we learn could not designate the disease.

An extraordinary accident lately occurred in Paris. A man was walking quietly along smoking his cigar, behind a man who was hawking about a bundle of those little red balloons which are the delight of the rising generation, when a puff of wind suddenly drove the india rubber bags against the cigar and all exploded. The poor smoker was suddenly enveloped in a mass of flame which burned off his big mustache and beard, and singed his face.

The National Rowing Association of American Colleges will meet at the Bay State House, Worcester, next Wednesday, to arrange for the regatta this summer. They will determine both the time and place of the struggle, and also decide whether the different branches of any one of the colleges can combine to form really a university crew, or whether, as last year, each college must make up its crew out of one department.

Fall River, Mass., has a population of nearly 36,000, has 34 cotton mills, with 1,200,000 spindles and 27,498 looms, whose total value is something over \$14,000,000. The operation in these mills earns \$600,000 monthly, and the amount of cotton cloth produced annually is 310,625,000 yards. The churches can accommodate about one-sixth of the population, which leaves more than 29,000 of the citizens churchless, even if they were disposed to attend.

A man from Leon county was arrested and fined in Bryan City for carrying concealed weapons, who had upon his person when searched, two six-shooters, one derringer, a pair of brass knuckles, three 'tens' and a pair of 'sevens' (a poker full), together with one of the largest knives the editor of the Bryan Appeal ever saw and seven or eight morphine powders. In extenuation of this extraordinary outfit he pleaded ignorance of the laws and fashions of civilized society, and was released by paying a minimum fine.

John A. Bell, member of the Legislature from Scott county, Kentucky, has had this notice inserted in his paper unbeknownst to him, of course, and during his absence in Frankfort: "March 19, to the wife of John A. Bell, editor of the Times, a daughter: 'Ring out, wild bells, and take some too, Ring out the old year's moon; Ring out little sins and soot; Ring in the babe and spoon; Ring out the muse, ring in the nurse, Ring in the milk and water; Away with paper, pens and ink. My daughter, oh, my daughter!'"

Political Complication in West Virginia.

(Washington Dispatch.)
The Representatives of West Virginia in this city do not appear to be at all satisfied with the political situation in their State. They say that the Legislature, during the past winter, has done little or nothing toward settling the complicated arising from the double elections last fall. It will be remembered that the Republicans held that the 22d of August was the proper time to elect Congressmen, and elected their candidates with but slight opposition, while the other party elected its men on the fourth Thursday in October. The Governor issued his proclamation on the subject, which both parties contend is to be construed in their favor. The Legislature, which has a Democratic majority, passed an act to remedy the evil, which was vetoed by the Governor, and repassed over the veto. Still the question is not directly provided for the act from seats in Congress intend to appeal to that body.

Another troublesome question has arisen, and that is the appointing power. The Constitution is represented as inconsistent when it relates to the creation and filling of offices not directly provided for by the act from school officers and managers of the different State institutions, in all a little short of ten thousand offices for the whole State. The Governor claims the power to appoint these officers under the constitutional provisions for vacancies, while the Legislature claims that they shall be appointed by a Board of Public Works, appointed by itself. This is thought, will lead to the appointment of two sets of officers in that State, producing much embarrassment in its administration. There is also another clash as to the act of the Legislature creating a Board of Public Works, which is held to be unconstitutional by the Governor and his friends. So many are the political complications of West Virginia that they will culminate in the same state of affairs as exists in Louisiana.

Disadvantage of a Migratory Population.

The people of Texas, at least a large portion of them, are so impressed with the magnitude of their territory that instead of settling down to the patient cultivation of distinct portions of it, they go about, with family and herds, from one place to another, and lead a kind of nomadic life. A recent Texas paper contains a history of this tendency among the people, and urges that it leads not only to inadequate cultivation of the soil and a generally unsettled and discontented feeling, but that deeds of violence

and bloodshed are much more frequent than they would be among a more settled population. That this is true does not admit of doubt, and it is well that Texans have themselves discovered it. This State is geographically situated, geographically, and aside from its vast extent of territory, other causes are at work to bring about the conditions of affairs complained of by the paper alluded to. On the one hand are Indians, on the other Mexicans, crossing their natural boundaries, and mingling more or less with the people; conveying to them the same restless, ungovernable disposition for which they are themselves distinguished. To resist these tendencies, education, industry and religion are the only adequate forces. The prosperity of Texas, with its immense stretch of territory, will be assured as soon as its people content themselves with quiet and steady pursuits, and give up habits of lawlessness and unrest which have grown upon them almost imperceptibly, and which a multitude of causes have helped to confirm and strengthen.

A Woman on "Old Probabilities."

(Spectator Rep. Washington Letter.)
In nothing does the child wonder come back to me more than in studying the signal service. When I used to read the Farmer's Almanac that always hung over the mantel in my grandfather's kitchen, in which "Look out for rain about this time," was stretched down the page through the month's calendar, the weather predictions were, next to the riddles, the most mysterious and interesting of all the contents of the marvelous book. When the disenchantment that destroys the beautiful illusions of childhood creditly uprooted my faith in the almanac, I experienced a loss like that which we feel when the story of the "Beauty and the Beast" or "William Tell" now I am delighted to have my old faith come back, founded on a scientific basis. Did I not stand in the Smithsonian Institute, yesterday, and watch the assistant transferring the weather chart to the suspended map, where we can stand and read the atmospheric phenomena of the whole country, see who are carrying umbrellas and who are sporting sun-shades, who are shivering in the fierce northeast blast and who are growing sunny tempered in the soft southern zephyrs? Did I not read "synopsis" and learn the prospect for to-day, and now find it verified in sky and wind and temperature? Those innocent-looking counters spotting the area of the country with a condensed meteorological account, seem to have little connection with practice of Fort Whipple, which attracts the attention of every visitor at Arlington, yet the one is the outgrowth of the other. There they learn how to do it. A prediction of to-morrow's weather no longer a baseless forecast; it is only a legitimate conclusion from certain observed facts. Fort Whipple is the school of instruction.

It has been said that since the signal service fairly began its work, no great and continuous storm has traversed the territory of the United States, or raged along the length of its lakes, its gulf or sea-coast shores, as in their course such storms have sometimes done, without fair and general premonition given and received by the weather bureau. I am glad to hear that, since the signal service fairly began its work, no great and continuous storm has traversed the territory of the United States, or raged along the length of its lakes, its gulf or sea-coast shores, as in their course such storms have sometimes done, without fair and general premonition given and received by the weather bureau. I am glad to hear that, since the signal service fairly began its work, no great and continuous storm has traversed the territory of the United States, or raged along the length of its lakes, its gulf or sea-coast shores, as in their course such storms have sometimes done, without fair and general premonition given and received by the weather bureau.

A Combat With a California Lion.

Trinity (Cal.) Journal.
John Day, whose adventure with a bear we detailed week before last, recently fell in with a California lion and fought him single-handed under the most exciting circumstances. Tuesday of last week, Day was hunting in the mountains back of Silver Flat. The dogs brought something to bay high up the mountain side. Supposing the game to be a lynx or wild-cat, he made his way to the spot, guided by the noise of the dogs. Before reaching the dog, the mountain side became so steep that it was with the greatest difficulty he made the ascent. Finally he arrived near the place and found an almost level spot on which to stand. Casting his eyes upward he beheld upon a cliff, a dog, ten or twelve feet above, a lion. He stood motionless and angry. Our hero lost no time, but leveled his rifle at the animal's head. Growing with pain and rage the infuriated beast sprang down, full of fight and fury, and the hunter found himself prostrate beneath his savage antagonist. His rifle was knocked out of his hand and went sliding down the precipitous slope. He had a butcher knife, but that was in his boot, and, unfortunately, he had a pair of overalls over all. There was, luckily, a hole in the overalls, through which he succeeded in getting his hand in and got his knife the first time, but the skin was so tough and wrinkled that the knife failed to penetrate. The second time he stabbed the animal near the small of the back. Uttering a most unearthly yell, the animal bounded away. Day immediately regained his feet and found himself not slightly injured. The lion, having gone down the hill some distance, stopped. His rifle being between him and the lion, Day went for his gun, and after getting it, so steep was the ground he could not keep his footing, but went slipping and sliding until he was almost upon his foe. But the lion had no desire to make a final fight, and when he saw the enemy descending upon him, he started for the mountains on the opposite side screaming worse than any female. Single handed, no man is a match for a grown California lion, but Day was decidedly in luck, considering that his shot did not prove fatal. The lion, however, had lost one of his fore paws—perhaps in a trap. This prevented it from using its fore feet, and likely discouraged it. Day's bullet broke its under jaw. The only wound Day received were it in the shoulder, inflicted by the lion's upper teeth in its futile attempt to bite. The beast being unable to strike or bite, doubtless considered itself overmatched and discretion the better part of valor.

Paragon of John Wesley.

In 1701, a clergyman of the Established Church of England, the first man who wrote in favor of William of Orange as successor to James II., observed that his wife was beautiful and accomplished woman, to whom he was tenderly attached, and with whom he had lived in delightful harmony for eleven years did not respond when he prayed for her. "Why do you not say Amen," he asked, "because," she calmly replied, "I do not believe the Prince of Orange to be King." "In that case," returned the unbending Orange man, "we must part." It does not appear that the wife, a conscientious, fair-minded woman, who was willing to give the liberty she exacted, made any effort to turn him from his purpose; she seems to have had a strong belief in the sincerity of his convictions of duty as she had in her own. Accordingly the reverend gentleman went up to London and remained a year, leaving several children and the care of the parish and parsonage to his wife. At the end of that time William of Orange died, and the lady could respond with a hearty "Amen" to the prayers for Queen Anne, the husband and wife were reunited. Among the nineteen children of the beautiful, strong-minded loyalist, and the indefatigable, scholarly revolutionist, were John and Charles Wesley.

How a Boy Gets up.

Danbury News.
Calling a boy up in the morning can be classed under the head of "pastimes," especially if the boy was fond of exercise the day before. And it is a little singular that the boy is getting him into it. There is a boy, a mother who is a success at raising a boy. All mothers know this; so do their

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We are now offering for the inspection of our customers and the public generally a large and carefully selected stock of new Spring and Summer Dry Goods, bought on the most favorable cash terms and which includes all the novelties of the season.

To our present large and complete stock we shall daily make fresh additions of the newest, cheapest and most desirable goods offered in the Eastern markets.

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boys. And yet the mother seems to go at it in the right way. She opens the stair door and insinuatingly observes: "Johnny!" There is no response. "Johnny!" Still no response. Then there is a short, sharp "John!" followed a moment later by a long and emphatic "John Henry!" A grunt from the upper regions signifies that an impression has been made, and the mother is encouraged to add: "You'd better be getting down here to your breakfast, young man, before I come up there, an give you something you'll feel." This so startles the young man that he immediately goes to sleep again. And the operation has to be repeated several times. He merely opens his mouth as the "John Henry" that cleaves the air of that stairway goes into that boy like electricity, and pierces the deepest recesses of his nature. And he pops out of that bed and into his clothes, and down the stairs with a promptness that is commendable. He is ready to do his duty himself to disregard the paternal summons. About once a year is believed to be as often as is consistent with the rules of health. He saves his father a great many steps by his thoughtfulness.

Anniversary Meeting of the Female Bible Society.

Governor Hendricks presided at the anniversary meeting of the Female Bible Society last evening, which was held in the Meridian Street Church. Hon. Wm. Wallace, Gen. Ben Harrison, Rev. H. R. Naylor and the Baiting State Agent, Rev. John Thompson, made remarks and reports were received from the last named, and from the Board of Directors and officers of the Society. The report of the auxiliary agent, Rev. Mr. Vanatta, gave a satisfactory rendering and it was a unanimous vote that directed his continuance during the coming year. In it is the following tabular statement:

I have visited families and business houses to the number of about.....	10,600
Families found destitute of an entire copy of the Bible.....	250
Destitute families supplied.....	780
Destitute individuals supplied in addition.....	14
A count obtained on subscriptions.....	\$1,622.25
Of this amount has been paid.....	1,570.25
Leaving a balance due of.....	\$ 50.00
In parting from Rev. John Thompson, for many years State Agent of the American Bible Society, and who has now been transferred to the Pacific Slope, the Board passed a series of complimentary resolutions, and they also took occasion to pay an earnest tribute to the memory of Mrs. Sarah White, now deceased, who for many years was an active and consistent member of the Society.	
Messrs. Carmichael & Williams, Depositories reported a credit of \$2,336.58, and a debit of \$1,408.94; stock on hand, \$927.94. The report of Mrs. M. C. Brown, Treasurer, shows for the year ending March 31, 1873:	
Amount received from Auxiliary Agents (collections).....	\$1,577.07
Amount received from Branch Societies.....	892.48
Amount received on file member ship pledges A. B. S.....	55.00
Paid A. B. S. on account of book sales.....	\$2,234.56
Paid A. B. S. on account of collections.....	\$ 892.48
Paid A. B. S. on account of Life members.....	1,207.52
Paid A. B. S. on account of Life members.....	55.00
Paid incidental expenses of Society.....	168.65
Balance on hand.....	\$2,232.63

A tabular statement of the final report of Rev. Mr. Thompson shows the following work for the past year:

Average number of agents each month.....	9%
Average number of days spent in work each month.....	2,024
Whole number of days spent in work.....	2,024
Branch societies and townships visited.....	2,024
Branch societies organized.....	6
Ecumenical bodies visited.....	7
Sermons delivered.....	717
Letters written.....	659
Circles distributed.....	12,867
Miles travelled.....	25,846
Families visited.....	6,982
Ecumenical bodies visited.....	3,641
Families supplied.....	1,734
Destitute persons supplied.....	250
Cash collected as donations.....	\$11,238.56
Cash collected from Branch Societies.....	\$87.48
Unpaid subscriptions obtained.....	2,000.85

Grand Opening.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 2.

THE GRAND SEMI-ANNUAL OPENING

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THE EVENING NEWS. MONDAY, MARCH 31, 1873.

THE CITY.

The Superior Court is in general term.

A marriage license has been issued to Elias Rippey and Minerva Harris.

A new bridge is being built over the canal at the intersection of West street.

The Commissioner's gang commenced cleaning South Illinois street to-day.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against John R. Price, of Logansport, Indiana.

A meeting of the Indianapolis Fishing and Hunting Club will be held to-night at Washington Hall.

The semi-annual grand opening of the Trade Palace will be held on Wednesday for the display of spring and summer styles.

GRAND DALL was to-day fined \$35.40 for a most aggravated case of public indecency, whereby a lady was most grossly insulted.

The river yesterday marked six feet and one inch in the channel, five feet and one inch higher than the lowest mark of last summer.

It is mooted among the Odd Fellows of the city to build a new hall without aid from the Grand Lodge, to be used exclusively by city lodges.

Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week the South Street Baptist Church will give an entertainment to raise funds for their Sunday School.

CHARLES WRENN will have a hearing this afternoon before Judge Test for selling liquor to the husband of Mrs. Thomas after she had requested him to desist.

Six hundred members belong to the East Street German Lutheran Church, of which 254 are legal voters, and 130 out of this 254 are upholders of the new temperance law.

The Indiana Car Company to-day filed notification with the State Secretary of an increase of their capital stock to \$100,000. These works are located at Cambridge City.

The Water Works nuisance case, set for this morning, has been postponed by agreement. Warrants were issued this morning for the arrest of the stockholders, several of whom have given bail for their appearance.

RAILWAY NEWS.

C. E. Brown, brakeman, was killed near Bluffton, last week.

New rails are being laid on the Louisville and New Albany road.

A survey has been ordered of the proposed Vincennes, Petersburg and Owensboro road.

There's some talk of extending the C. and M. road to Terre Haute from Martinsville. Nothing but talk.

Washington, Clinton and Sand Creek townships, in Decatur county, have voted in favor of a donation to the Louisville and Toledo road.

Within sixty days the work of grading will commence in every county through which the Lake Erie, Evansville and Southwestern line will pass.

The Covington, Danville and Vincennes Railway bridge across the Wabash at Covington has been completed, and track-laying is now going on from both ends of the line.

Parties interested in building the Dayton, North Vernon and Louisville Short Line met last week at Brookville and appointed a temporary directory for the Indiana division.

This line is intended to run from Dayton, Ohio, to North Vernon, Indiana, via Soldiers Home, Liberty, Farmersville, Winchester, Camden, College Corner and Brookville.

The changes in the Toledo, Wabash and Western Railway management, made recently, are as follows:

Superintendent Collins goes to Springfield to take charge of the Illinois Division. Mr. Endley, Master of Transportation, office in Lafayette.

H. F. Clark, of Decatur, Illinois, takes charge of the Ohio Division; office at Toledo.

R. Andrews is appointed Chief Engineer, a new office on the road; stationed at Lafayette.

G. H. Burrows, General Superintendent; office at Lafayette.

R. S. Miner, Superintendent of Bloomington Branch; office at Lafayette.

Major J. E. Carpenter, Paymaster; office at Lafayette.

Personal.

Professor Black is seriously ill.

Senator Morton returned from Washington Saturday.

Ed. Daumont, dangerously ill last week is now convalescing.

General Love and family start to-morrow on a Southern tour.

Officer Buser does not contemplate leaving the city police force.

Colonel Shulen, Warden of the Southern Penitentiary, is in the city.

General Terrell will take hold of the Pension Agency in this city in about two weeks.

Governor Hendricks has appointed Owen Eddy Swamp Land Commissioner; salary, \$1,200.

Samuel Graham, with an eye to business, will soon establish in this city a dray transfer line.

Dr. W. B. Fletcher wrestles with "The Breath of Life" theory to-night at Washington Hall.

Dr. J. W. Bryan has gone to Louisville, and the Rev. H. Quinius is slowly recovering from his small pox attack.

And now it is agonizingly whispered that Watterson, of the Louisville C.J., will not lecture before the Editorial Association meeting in May.

Mrs. S. A. Oren becomes one of the dignitaries of State to-morrow, and it is to be hoped she will always respond promptly when queried "What do you know?"

Charles S. Jewett, Prosecuting Attorney Fifth Judicial Circuit, and G. F. Chittenden, Trustee of the Insane Asylum, were to-day inducted into office by filing copy of oath taken.

Miss Emma Rogers, a lady artist with studio in Circle Hall, has as pupils under instruction, Mrs. Dr. Funkhouser, Mrs. M. J. Catlin, Miss Mollie Hunt and Miss Aggie Sells.

Messrs. Alexander & Craig, of Chicago, have rented the room recently vacated by Colclazer, in which they propose to locate a confectionery that will eclipse anything ever seen in the city.

Rev. H. A. Edson, of the Second Presbyterian, and Rev. J. L. Bennett, of the Plymouth Congregational, yesterday preached farewell sermons. The first goes to the tenth, the other to Springfield, Ohio.

Mrs. Clara Neumann, from New York, will lecture Friday evening at Washington Hall. Theme: "Our Opponents on the Question of Woman's Rights." The lecture will be delivered under the auspices of the Indianapolis Social Turnverein.

Howard, son of B. F. Reed, died Saturday at his father's residence and was buried this forenoon. Nearly three months ago, while attending to his duties in the Vandalia yard, he was severely crushed between two cars, and the injuries then received appear to have been the original cause of death.

R. Herrig has gone to the uselessness of affirming by affidavit before a notary public that in June, 1870, himself, John Deckerbrunck, Gottlieb Knebler, Charles Ernst and George Schmitt found a pitcher of whisky concealed in a garret or attic of Colonel John W. Ray's residence, of which they partook.

And what if they did, and what does it prove beyond the fact that these parties named "enveloped" property belonging to their employer, an offense to be set down under the general head of "fluid embezzlement," and wouldn't the laugh be with the Colones should take this affidavit as evidence and prosecute under the criminal law?

Billiardistic.

Mr. Garratt has waived his challenge to play Byers a game in Cincinnati, and has issued a second one to play him in this city on Thursday evening, April 24, at Washington Hall, a game of 1,500 points up, subject to customary rules, except that the referee shall be chosen from outside the State, the winner to pay his expenses. The stake will be the same as last played for, and the forfeit is already up in Phil. Fahrback's hands, or will be before Mr. Byers reads this. This is an opening for the Lafayette lad, if he has the nerve.

Severe Accident.

Saturday evening Edward Seudder, head man for Dickson's saw mill, at the intersection of Benton street, was knocked down by a backing "pony," while stepping out of the way of a passenger train. His left arm falling across the rail was severed by the wheels, and he was also severely bruised about the head and shoulders. The accident was unavoidable on the part of the injured man, and results in his disablement for life.

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"HATTERS OF THE PERIOD," GRIFFITH'S NEW BLOCK.

A Foolish Manifesto.

The Retail Liquor Dealers Association have adopted the following preamble and resolutions, and have issued a manifesto to that effect. Comment is unnecessary:

Since our wise Legislature has found it proper to force upon us the most absurd temperance which ever arose from a set of simpletons—a law which robs us of our personal as well as republican rights, and puts us under the bondage of a few hypocrites;

Therefore the saloon keepers and other interested citizens organized and held a meeting on March 27, 1873, wherein the following resolutions were presented and unanimously adopted:

That we will energetically use all power against such a confounded law, and that we will make our special obligation and duty not to patronize any such parties who are in favor of the above mentioned temperance law.

That we will give special orders to our wives and daughters not to put their foot over the threshold of any of those business houses whose owners are known to be temperance men.

That in every meeting which will be held by the above said organization, we will publish the names of such said business houses.

MAYOR MACAULEY to-day received an official note from Mrs. Oren of the appointment of Henry Coleman as Janitor of the State House, and asking His Honor to confer police powers upon him.

Transfers of Real Estate.

The following transfers have been filed for record since our last report:

Joseph Stump to Martha Wright, lot 47, Vajen's sub, \$1,000.

J. H. Stewart to J. L. Faught, is 92 and 93 in Allen & Root's add, \$3,200.

J. B. Julian to E. W. Bishop, is 63, 69, 70, 71 and 72 in Julian et al add, \$2,200.

David Chesley to E. McKernan, 1133, Yandess's sub, \$200.

A. W. Penny to Solomon Mosser, 15 of sec 17, tp 15, r 4, \$3,212.

Aaron Kaufman to L. J. Mosser, p 13, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in French's sub, \$1,237.

John Lister to C. H. Lister, 112 in Hardesty's sub, \$150.

M. G. Skinner to M. E. Porter, pt 16 of Drake's add, \$550.

Some day this week Medina's Temple of Fashion will be opened at No. 12 West Washington street, when will be exhibited the finest stock of real and imitation hair goods ever shown in this city. We advise the ladies to wait with patience.

The grand opening of spring and summer styles at the Trade Palace next Wednesday will be understood by us far the finest ever given by the enterprising proprietors. While all the Paris, Berlin and New York novelties of the season will be exhibited, including the most elegant and costly garments and fabrics known to the trade, there will also be an extensive and varied assortment of goods displayed that attract and meet the requirements of the great mass of people.

We anticipate the presence of every lady in Indianapolis and many from the neighboring towns and country. Remember the day is Wednesday next.

The Etna Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, Connecticut, has been in existence for over fifty years, and has always paid its losses promptly, and has become the leading fire insurance company of the United States. It will do to patronize A. Abromet, Agent, Etna Building, North Pennsylvania street.

LOCAL ITEMS.

An emphatic triumph, Ike Davis Conner & Co.'s, spring style of gentlemen's hats are without rivals. The rush to 22 West Washington street is a remarkable evidence of popular appreciation.

Miss Angie Swank has just returned from the East and brought all the latest styles in hats and bonnets and millinery generally. The best material and workmanship are used, and ladies in search of the best millinery will be satisfied. Over 14 East Washington street.

Notice.

I have sold my milk dairy business on the 21st of March, 1873, to Messrs. Spahn & Bleich, who will continue to carry on the milk business under the name of Wayne Wood Dairy. Thanking my customers for their past patronage, I would also respectfully solicit them to continue their patronage and custom with Spahn & Bleich, as I can recommend them to the public as deserving and reliable men, and who will try to serve their customers well and promptly. Mr. John Spahn will deliver the milk, and is the only person authorized to collect the money due me.

J. G. R. DESSAR.

When you want an elegant dress chapeau, go to the popular hat store of D. Lelewer & Bro., 14 West Washington street, sign of the Big Lion. You will find here all the novelties in headwear.

In selecting monuments or tombstones of any kind the City Marble and Granite Works of Lewis Whitehead & Co., 43 and 50 Kentucky avenue should be visited.

If you can not get Taggart's bread and crackers from your grocer, order them from their bakery, 117 West Washington street.

The Seven Seals or Golden Wonder has arrived at Evans's, 76 West Washington street.

It is a pleasure to purchase all that is necessary for the cure and prevention of ill at the Corner Drug Store, removed to No. 2 Palmer House. Every thing is prepared with such care and neatness.

The headquarters for Taggart's bread and crackers is at Taggart Bros' bakery, 117 West Washington street.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Use the PEERLESS WRINGER.

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